

House Resolution 1596

By: Representatives Murphy of the 120th, Dawkins-Haigler of the 93rd, Stephenson of the 92nd, Jones of the 44th, Sinkfield of the 60th, and others

A RESOLUTION

1 Recognizing and commending Mrs. Cynthia M.A. Butler-McIntyre, 24th National President
2 of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mrs. Cynthia M.A. Butler-McIntyre has long been recognized for the vital role
4 that she has played in the Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and her deep personal commitment to
5 supporting educational, civic, cultural, and community-based programs for young people;
6 and

7 WHEREAS, Mrs. Butler-McIntyre earned a bachelor's degree in early childhood education
8 from Dillard University and a master's degree in educational administration/curriculum and
9 instruction from the University of New Orleans; and

10 WHEREAS, a dedicated professional educator, Mrs. Butler-McIntyre is employed as the
11 personnel administrator for the Jefferson Parish Public School System in Harvey, Louisiana,
12 and has served as a kindergarten teacher, assistant principal, and summer school principal;
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14 WHEREAS, she has served as an assistant supervisor of student teaching and field
15 experiences with the University of New Orleans and as executive director of the summer
16 tech-prep program at Delgado Community College for high school students as they moved
17 to postsecondary education; and

18 WHEREAS, Mrs. Butler-McIntyre's leadership has been instrumental to numerous civic,
19 professional, and religious organizations, including as founding president of the
20 Algiers-Gretna Branch of the NAACP, secretary of the Louisiana Association of School
21 Personnel Administrators, parliamentarian and charter member of the Jefferson Alliance of
22 Black School Educators, and past first vice president of the Coalition of 100 Black Women;
23 and

24 WHEREAS, she has been an active member of Delta Sigma Theta since 1973, actively
25 participating at the local, state, and national levels, and is the co-founder of Momma's Girls,
26 a ministry for motherless daughters; and

27 WHEREAS, Mrs. Butler-McIntyre has been recognized with numerous honors and
28 accolades, including a Distinguished Alumnus Award from Dillard University, Louisiana's
29 Elementary Assistant Principal of the Year, and an Exceptional Service Award from the
30 American Association of School Personnel Administrators; and

31 WHEREAS, a faithful member of Olive Branch Baptist Church in New Orleans, she is united
32 in love and marriage to her supportive husband, Ronney, and has been blessed with four
33 children, Shavonny, Roney, Ciara, and Rachaud, and two grandchildren, Gavon and Angie;
34 and

35 WHEREAS, it is abundantly fitting and proper that the extraordinary achievements and
36 contributions of Mrs. Butler-McIntyre be appropriately recognized.

37 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES that
38 the members of this body commend Mrs. Cynthia M.A. Butler-McIntyre for her vision,
39 foresight, and dedication as 24th National President of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc.

40 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Clerk of the House of Representatives is authorized
41 and directed to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mrs. Cynthia M.A.
42 Butler-McIntyre.